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SENATE BILL

No. 1072

Introduced by Senator Simitian

February 22, 2005

An act to amend, repeal, and add Sections 406, 41530, 41531, 44305, 44308, 44383, 44386, 44393, 44503, 44507, 52272, 99220, 99221, 99222, 99223, 99224, 99225, and 99226 of, to amend, renumber, and repeal Section 44731 of, to add and repeal Section 44730 of, and to repeal Sections 44505, 44506, and 99227 of, the Education Code, relating to teacher development.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1072, as amended, Simitian. Professional development block grant consolidation.

Existing law establishes various grant programs designed to promote the development of teachers in specific areas. Existing law establishes the professional development block grant, composed of funding from and for specified existing categorical education programs. Existing law requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to apportion block grant funds to a school district based on the number of certificated teachers employed by the school district in the immediately prior fiscal year. Existing law authorizes a school district to expend these funds if it provides each teacher of kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 6, inclusive, with opportunities to participate in professional development activities in reading language arts/English language development, expending at least an amount that is equal to the proportion that funding calculated pursuant to the existing Mathematics and Reading Professional Development Program. Existing law requires that the amount of block grant funding

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a school district receives be adjusted for inflation, as specified, and for growth, as measured by the regular average daily attendance used for the second principal apportionment.

This bill would consolidate the funding for many of those programs within the professional development block grant.

The changes made by the bill would become operative on July 1, 2006.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 406 of the Education Code is amended 2 to read:

3 406. (a) The Regents of the University of California are requested to authorize the President of the University of California or his or her designee to jointly develop English Language Development Professional Institutes with the 6 Chancellor of the California State University, the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, the independent colleges and universities, and the Superintendent, or their designees. In 10 order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered 11 at sites widely distributed throughout the state, that shall include, but not be limited to, programs offered through instructor-led, 12 13 interactive online courses, in accordance with existing state law. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who 14 15 may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall 16 accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through 17 18 existing state approved online instructor-led courses, programs, 19 both. The California subject matter projects, 20 intersegmental, discipline-based professional development network administered by the University of California, is 21 22 requested to be the organizing entity for the institutes and 23 followup programs.

(b) (1) Commencing in the 1999–2000 academic year, the institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each school participating in the program established pursuant to this chapter. Commencing in the 2000–01 academic year, the institutes may provide instruction for school teams serving

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English language learners in kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive. A school team shall include teachers who do not hold crosscultural or bilingual-crosscultural certificates or their equivalents, teachers who hold those certificates or their equivalents, and a schoolsite administrator. The majority of the team shall be teachers who do not hold those crosscultural certificates or their equivalents. If the participating school team employs instructional assistants who provide instructional services to English language learners, the team may include these instructional assistants.

- (2) Commencing in July 2000, the English Language Development Institutes shall provide instruction to an additional 10,000 participants. These participants shall be in addition to the 5,000 participants authorized as of January 1, 2000. Commencing July 2001, and each fiscal year thereafter, the number of participants receiving instruction through the English Language Development Institutes shall be specified in the annual Budget Act.
- (3) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, all of the following:
- (A) Schools whose pupils' reading scores are at or below the 40th percentile on the English language arts portion of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640.
- (B) Schools in which a high percentage of pupils score below grade level on the English language development assessment authorized by Section 60810, when it is developed.
- (C) Schools with a high number of new, underprepared, and noncredentialed teachers. Underprepared teachers shall be defined as teachers who do not possess a crosscultural or bilingual-crosscultural certificate, or their equivalents.
- (D) Schools in which the enrollment of English language learners exceeds 25 percent of the total school enrollment.
- (E) Schools with a full complement of team members as described in paragraph (1).
- (4) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools meeting the criteria set forth in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (3).

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(c) Each team member who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this section shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000), as determined by the University of California.

- (d) Instruction provided by the institutes shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the English language development standards adopted pursuant to Section 60811.
- (e) (1) Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 80 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented during the following school year with no fewer than 80 hours nor more than 120 hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of English language learners at that school.
- (2) Instruction at the institutes shall be of sufficient scope, depth, and duration to fully equip instructional personnel to offer a comprehensive and rigorous instructional program for English language learners and to assess pupil progress so these pupils can meet the academic content and performance standards adopted by the State Board of Education. The instruction shall be designed to increase the capacity of teachers and other school personnel to provide and assess standards-based instruction for English language learners.
- (3) The instruction shall be multidisciplinary and focus on instruction in disciplines for which the State Board of Education has adopted academic content standards. The instruction shall also be research-based and provide effective models of professional development in order to ensure that instructional personnel increase their skills, at a minimum, in all of the following:
- (A) Literacy instruction and assessment for diverse pupil populations, including instruction in the teaching of reading that is research-based and consistent with the balanced, comprehensive strategies required under Section 44757.
- 39 (B) English language development and second language 40 acquisition strategies.

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(C) Specially designed instruction and assessment in English.

- (D) Application of appropriate assessment instruments to assess language proficiency and utilization of benchmarks for reclassification of pupils from English language learners to fully English proficient.
- (E) Examination of pupil work as a basis for the alignment of standards, instruction, and assessment.
- (F) Use of appropriate instructional materials to assist English language learners to attain academic content standards.
- (G) Instructional technology and its integration into the school curriculum for English language learners.
- (H) Parent involvement and effective practices for building partnerships with parents.
- (f) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of the course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a California English Language Development Institute program if the program has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting preparation standards.
- (g) This section does not prohibit a team member from attending an institute authorized by this section in more than one academic year.
- (h) This section shall not apply to the University of California unless and until the Regents of the University of California act, by resolution, to make it applicable.
- (i) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
 - SEC. 2. Section 406 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 406. (a) The Regents of the University of California are requested to authorize the President of the University of California or his or her designee to jointly develop English Language Development Professional Institutes with the Chancellor of the California State University, the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, the independent colleges and universities, and the Superintendent, or their designees. In

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order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered at sites widely distributed throughout the state, that shall include, but not be limited to, programs offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses, in accordance with existing state law. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through existing state approved online instructor-led courses, programs, both. The California subject matter projects, intersegmental, discipline-based professional development network administered by the University of California, is requested to be the organizing entity for the institutes and followup programs.

- (b) Commencing in the 1999–2000 academic year, the institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each school participating in the program established pursuant to this chapter. Commencing in the 2000–01 academic year, the institutes may provide instruction for school teams serving English language learners in kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive. A school team shall include teachers who do not hold crosscultural or bilingual-crosscultural certificates or their equivalents, teachers who hold those certificates or their equivalents, and a schoolsite administrator. The majority of the team shall be teachers who do not hold those crosscultural certificates or their equivalents. If the participating school team employs instructional assistants who provide instructional services to English language learners, the team may include these instructional assistants.
- (c) Each team member who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this section shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000).
- (d) Instruction provided by the institutes shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the English language development standards adopted pursuant to Section 60811.
- 39 (e) (1) Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, 40 sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than

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80 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented during the following school year with no fewer than 80 hours nor more than 120 hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of English language learners at that school.

- (2) Instruction at the institutes shall be of sufficient scope, depth, and duration to fully equip instructional personnel to offer a comprehensive and rigorous instructional program for English language learners and to assess pupil progress so these pupils can meet the academic content and performance standards adopted by the State Board of Education. The instruction shall be designed to increase the capacity of teachers and other school personnel to provide and assess standards-based instruction for English language learners.
- (3) The instruction shall be multidisciplinary and focus on instruction in disciplines for which the State Board of Education has adopted academic content standards. The instruction shall also be research-based and provide effective models of professional development in order to ensure that instructional personnel increase their skills, at a minimum, in all of the following:
- (A) Literacy instruction and assessment for diverse pupil populations, including instruction in the teaching of reading that is research-based and consistent with the balanced, comprehensive strategies required under Section 44757.
- (B) English language development and second language acquisition strategies.
 - (C) Specially designed instruction and assessment in English.
- (D) Application of appropriate assessment instruments to assess language proficiency and utilization of benchmarks for reclassification of pupils from English language learners to fully English proficient.
- (E) Examination of pupil work as a basis for the alignment of standards, instruction, and assessment.
- (F) Use of appropriate instructional materials to assist English language learners to attain academic content standards.
- 39 (G) Instructional technology and its integration into the school 40 curriculum for English language learners.

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(H) Parent involvement and effective practices for building partnerships with parents.

- (f) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of the course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a California English Language Development Institute program if the program has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting preparation standards.
- (g) This section does not prohibit a team member from attending an institute authorized by this section in more than one academic year.
- (h) This section does not apply to the University of California unless and until the Regents of the University of California act, by resolution, to make it applicable.
 - (i) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 3. Section 41530 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 41530. (a) There is hereby established the professional development block grant. Commencing with the 2005–06 fiscal year, the Superintendent shall apportion block grant funds to a school district based on the number of certificated teachers employed by the school district in the immediately prior fiscal year.
- (b) A school district may expend funds received pursuant to this article for any purpose authorized by the programs listed in Section 41531, as the statutes governing those programs read on January 1, 2004, if the school district provides each teacher of kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 6, inclusive, with opportunities to participate in professional development activities in reading language arts/English language development. In providing teachers of kindergarten and any of grades 1 to 6, inclusive, with opportunities to participate in professional development activities in reading language arts/English language development, a school district shall expend at least an amount that is equal to the proportion that funding calculated pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 99230) of Chapter 5 of Part 65 bears to the statewide total amount of block grant funds appropriated for purposes of this article. For purposes of this article,

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professional development in reading language arts/English language development shall be equivalent in rigor to the professional development provided pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 99230) of Chapter 5 of Part 65, as that article read on January 1, 2004.

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- (c) For purposes of this article, "school district" includes a county office of education if county offices of education are eligible to receive funds for the programs that are listed in Section 41531. The block grant of a county office of education shall be based only on those programs for which it was eligible to receive funds in the 2003–04 fiscal year.
- (d) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 4. Section 41530 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 41530. (a) There is hereby established the professional development block grant. Commencing with the 2005–06 fiscal year, the Superintendent shall apportion block grant funds to a school district based on the number of certificated teachers *and paraprofessionals* employed by the school district in the immediately prior fiscal year.
- (b) A school district may expend funds received pursuant to this article for any purpose authorized by the programs listed in subdivision (a) of Section 41531, as the statutes governing those programs read on January 1, 2004, and subdivision (b) of Section 41531, if the school district provides each teacher of kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 6, inclusive, with opportunities to participate in professional development activities in reading language arts/English language development. In providing teachers of kindergarten and any of grades 1 to 6, inclusive, with opportunities to participate in professional development activities in reading language arts/English language development, a school district shall expend at least an amount that is equal to the proportion that funding calculated pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 99230) of Chapter 5 of Part 65 bears to the statewide total amount of block grant funds appropriated for purposes of this article. For purposes of this article,

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professional development in reading language arts/English language development shall be equivalent in rigor to the professional development provided pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 99230) of Chapter 5 of Part 65, as that article read on January 1, 2004.

- (c) For purposes of this article, "school district" includes a county office of education if county offices of education are eligible to receive funds for the programs that are listed in Section 41531. The block grant of a county office of education shall be based only on those programs for which it was eligible to receive funds in the 2003–04 fiscal year.
- 12 (d) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 5. Section 41531 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 41531. The professional development block grant shall
 include funding apportioned to school districts prior to January 1,
 2005, for purposes of the following programs:
 - (a) Staff development as set forth in Article 7.5 (commencing with Section 44579) of Chapter 3 of Part 25.
- 20 (b) Teaching as a Priority Block Grant as set forth in Chapter 3.36 (commencing with Section 44735) of Part 25.
 - (c) Intersegmental programs funded pursuant to Item 6110-197-0001 of Section 2.00 of the annual Budget Act.
 - (d) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 6. Section 41531 is added to the Education Code, to 30 read:
- 41531. (a) The professional development block grant shall include funding apportioned to school districts prior to January 1, 2005, for purposes of the following programs:
- 34 (1) Staff development as set forth in Article 7.5 (commencing with Section 44579) of Chapter 3 of Part 25.
- (2) Teaching as a Priority Block Grant as set forth in Chapter
 3.36 (commencing with Section 44735) of Part 25.
- 38 (3) Intersegmental programs funded pursuant to Item 39 6110-197-0001 of Section 2.00 of the annual Budget Act.

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(b) The professional development block grant shall include funding apportioned to school districts for purposes of the following programs:

- (1) The California Pre-Internship Teaching Program (Article 5.6 (commencing with Section 44305) of Chapter 2).
- (2) Alternative certification programs established pursuant to Article 11 (commencing with Section 44380) of Chapter 2.
- (3) The California School Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program (Article 12 (commencing with Section 44390) of Chapter 2).
- (4) The California Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers (Article 4.5 (commencing with Section 44500) of Chapter 3).
- (5) The Education Technology Staff Development Program (Chapter 3.34 (commencing with Section 44730)).
- (6) The Education Technology Professional Development Program pursuant to Section 52272.
- 18 (7) The California Professional Development Institutes 19 (Article 2 (commencing with Section 99220) of Chapter 5 of Part 20 65).
- 21 (8) The Pre-Intern Teaching Academies.

- (c) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 7. Section 44305 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 44305. (a) As resources are available to school districts to provide services to any preintern pursuant to this article, the commission may issue a preintern teaching certificate instead of an emergency multiple subject permit to an individual employed by a school district approved by the commission who meets the minimum requirements set by the commission. When resources remain after funding preinterns pursuing multiple subject emergency permits, the commission may issue a preintern teaching certificate instead of an emergency single subject permit or an emergency education specialist instruction permit to an individual employed by a school district approved by the commission who meets the minimum requirements set by the commission. In implementing the Pre-Internship Teaching Program, the commission shall consult with representatives of the department, classroom teachers, school administrators, other

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school employees, parents, school board members, and institutions of higher education.

- (b) The preintern teaching certificate issued by the commission shall be valid for one year, but may be renewed for one additional year if the holder takes the appropriate subject matter examination required under Section 44282 or is enrolled in a subject matter program approved by the commission on the basis of standards of program quality and effectiveness pursuant to Article 6 (commencing with Section 44310). A preintern teacher who passes the subject matter examination or completes a subject matter program in the first or second year of his or her preintern teaching shall enroll in a district or university teaching internship or other approved university teaching credential program. A preintern teaching certificate may be renewed for a third year if the employing school district, the cooperating college or university, and the preintern support the application for renewal.
- (c) The minimum requirements for the preintern teaching certificate established by the commission shall include all of the following:
- (1) A baccalaureate or higher degree conferred by a regionally accredited institution of higher education.
- (2) Passage of the basic skills proficiency test as provided for in Section 44252.
- (3) The number of units, as set by the commission, for the multiple subject or single subject preintern teaching certificate.
- (4) The number of units in education or the number of years of experience in special education, as set by the commission, for the education specialist instruction preintern teaching certificate.
- (d) The commission shall establish criteria for the approval of preintern teaching programs. The criteria shall include, but are not limited to, all of the following:
- (1) Demonstrated need, as indicated by the percentage of teachers in the district that have not completed basic credential requirements pursuant to state law.
- 36 (2) The quality of the preparation, support, and assistance to be provided to teaching preinterns.
- 38 (3) Cost-effectiveness, including the number of preinterns to be served.

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(4) Collaboration between district administrators and experienced teachers with permanent status in the development of the plan.

- (5) District and college or university collaboration to ensure availability of courses needed by preintern teachers.
- (6) Preintern preparation content, including lesson planning, classroom management and organization, and a schedule for delivering the preparation, with a focus on beginning the preparation before or during the first semester of the preinternship.
- (7) The role of personnel, including experienced teachers with permanent status, in the delivery of preintern preparation and support.
- (8) That no later than the second year of employment the program for each preintern shall reflect the California Standards for the Teaching Profession jointly developed by the commission and the department.
- (9) Approval of the district plan by the governing board of the school district.
- (e) In establishing criteria for review of preintern teaching programs pursuant to subdivision (d), the commission shall make every effort to recognize effective district programs for the support and development of emergency permit teachers in operation before July 1, 1998, as meeting the preintern teaching program criteria.
- (f) A school district may apply to the commission for funding under this article. Based on the criteria in subdivision (d), developed pursuant to the consultation process required by subdivision (a), the commission shall determine which applicants are approved for funding. If funds are provided for this act from the federal Goals 2000: Educate America Act (P.L. 103-227), the commission shall transmit a list of approved applicants to the department. The department shall award grants in a timely manner exclusively to those school districts that the commission has approved for funding, in the amounts listed, with no school district receiving more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per preintern employed by the school district.
- (g) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or

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1 extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is 2 repealed.

- SEC. 8. Section 44305 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 44305. (a) The commission may issue a preintern teaching certificate instead of an emergency multiple subject permit to an individual employed by a school district approved by the commission who operates a preintern teaching program pursuant to this article if the individual meets the minimum requirements set by the commission.
- (b) The preintern teaching certificate issued by the commission shall be valid for one year, but may be renewed for one additional year if the holder takes the appropriate subject matter examination required under Section 44282 or is enrolled in a subject matter program approved by the commission on the basis of standards of program quality and effectiveness pursuant to Article 6 (commencing with Section 44310). A preintern teacher who passes the subject matter examination or completes a subject matter program in the first or second year of his or her preintern teaching shall enroll in a district or university teaching internship or other approved university teaching credential program. A preintern teaching certificate may be renewed for a third year if the employing school district, the cooperating college or university, and the preintern support the application for renewal.
- (c) The minimum requirements for the preintern teaching certificate established by the commission shall include all of the following:
- (1) A baccalaureate or higher degree conferred by a regionally accredited institution of higher education.
- (2) Passage of the basic skills proficiency test as provided for in Section 44252.
- (3) The number of units, as set by the commission, for the multiple subject or single subject preintern teaching certificate.
- (4) The number of units in education or the number of years of experience in special education, as set by the commission, for the education specialist instruction preintern teaching certificate.
- (d) The commission shall establish criteria for the approval of preintern teaching programs. The criteria shall include, but is not limited to, all of the following:

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(1) Demonstrated need, as indicated by the percentage of teachers in the district that have not completed basic credential requirements pursuant to state law.

- (2) The quality of the preparation, support, and assistance to be provided to teaching preinterns.
- (3) Cost-effectiveness, including the number of preinterns to be served.
- (4) Collaboration between district administrators and experienced teachers with permanent status in the development of the plan.
- (5) District and college or university collaboration to ensure availability of courses needed by preintern teachers.
- (6) Preintern preparation content, including lesson planning, classroom management and organization, and a schedule for delivering the preparation, with a focus on beginning the preparation before or during the first semester of the preinternship.
- (7) The role of personnel, including experienced teachers with permanent status, in the delivery of preintern preparation and support.
- (8) That no later than the second year of employment the program for each preintern shall reflect the California Standards for the Teaching Profession jointly developed by the commission and the department.
- (9) Approval of the district plan by the governing board of the school district.
- (e) In establishing criteria for review of preintern teaching programs pursuant to subdivision (d), the commission shall make every effort to recognize effective district programs for the support and development of emergency permit teachers in operation before July 1, 1998, as meeting the preintern teaching program criteria.
- (f) A school district may operate a preintern teaching program using funds from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24. No school district may expend for the preintern teaching program more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per preintern employed by the school district.
 - (g) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.

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1 SEC. 9. Section 44308 of the Education Code is amended to 2 read:

- 44308. (a) Funding for the purposes of administering the program established pursuant to this article is contingent upon an appropriation in the Budget Act or other act.
- (b) It is the intent of the Legislature that federal funding provided to the department and the Commission on Teacher Credentialing in Item 6110-001-0890 and Item 6360-001-0407 be adjusted to provide direct funding for the Commission on Teacher Credentialing for the purposes of the Pre-Internship Teaching Program and the California School Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program. The Department of Finance shall 12 13 make those adjustments using authority of Section 1.50 of the 14 Budget Act of 1997.
 - (c) If funds are provided for this act from the federal Goals 2000: Educate America Act (P.L. 103-227) and if the provisions of this article do not meet the requirements of that federal act, the department shall be held harmless for any fiscal penalty exacted by the federal government for the expenditures made by local educational agencies or for state operations.
 - (d) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
 - SEC. 10. Section 44308 is added to the Education Code, to
 - 44308. (a) Funding for the purposes of administering the program established pursuant to this article is contingent upon an appropriation in the annual Budget Act for the purposes of the professional development block grant established pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24.
- 34 (b) It is the intent of the Legislature that federal funding 35 provided to the department and the Commission on Teacher Credentialing in Item 6110-001-0890 and Item 6360-001-0407 36 be adjusted to provide direct funding for the Commission on 37 38 Teacher Credentialing for the purposes of the Pre-Internship 39 Teaching Program and the California School Paraprofessional 40 Teacher Training Program. The Department of Finance shall

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make those adjustments using authority of Section 1.50 of the Budget Act of 1997.

(c) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.

- 4 SEC. 11. Section 44383 of the Education Code is amended to 5 read:
 - 44383. (a) School districts or county offices of education operating, or that propose to operate, an alternative certification program pursuant to this article, may apply to the Commission on Teacher Credentialing for incentive grant funding that has been appropriated for the purposes of this article.
 - (b) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
 - SEC. 12. Section 44383 is added to the Education Code, to read:
 - 44383. (a) School districts or county offices of education operating, or that propose to operate, an alternative certification program pursuant to this article, may use funding from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24.
 - (b) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
 - SEC. 13. Section 44386 of the Education Code is amended to read:

44386. (a) From funds appropriated for the purposes of this article, the Commission on Teacher Credentialing shall award incentive grants to qualifying school districts or county offices of education. Each school district or county office of education that receives a grant shall provide matching funds from any available source in an amount equal to 50 percent of the cost of the alternative certification program. Grants shall be awarded by the commission for the remaining 50 percent of the cost of the alternative certification program, but in no event shall the grant amount awarded to any school district or county office of education exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per intern per year, except that the commission may require a lesser local contribution, or provide a larger grant per intern per year, in hardship cases.

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(b) Participants in a district intern program conducted pursuant to Article 7.5 (commencing with Section 44325) or in an intern program conducted pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 44450) of Chapter 3, who have received a preliminary credential and who are receiving funding for participating in an induction program pursuant to Article 4.5 (commencing with Section 44279.1) are not eligible for funding under this section.

- (c) As determined by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, funds appropriated in the annual Budget Act for the alternative certification program may also be made available for expenditure on the Pre-Internship Teaching Program authorized pursuant to Article 5.6 (commencing with Section 44305).
- (d) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 14. Section 44386 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 44386. (a) Each school district or county office of education that uses funds from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24 for purposes of this article shall provide matching funds from any available source in an amount equal to 50 percent of the cost of the alternative certification program. The amount of funding provided by a school district or county office of education shall not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per intern per year, except that the school district or county office of education may require a lesser local contribution, or provide a larger grant per intern per year, in hardship cases.
- (b) Participants in a district intern program conducted pursuant to Article 7.5 (commencing with Section 44325) or in an intern program conducted pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 44450) of Chapter 3, who have received a preliminary credential and who are receiving funding for participating in an induction program pursuant to Article 4.5 (commencing with Section 44279.1) are not eligible for funding under this section.
 - (c) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.

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SEC. 15. Section 44393 of the Education Code is amended to read:

- 44393. (a) The California School Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program is hereby established for the purpose of recruiting paraprofessionals to participate in a program designed to encourage them to enroll in teacher training programs and to provide instructional service as teachers in the public schools.
- (b) The Commission on Teacher Credentialing, in consultation with the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, the Chancellor of the California State University, the President of the University of California, the chancellors of private institutions of higher education that offer accredited teacher training programs, and representatives of certificated and classified employee organizations, shall select 24 or more school districts or county offices of education representing rural, urban, and suburban areas that apply to participate in the program. The commission shall ensure that, at a minimum, a total of 600 school paraprofessionals are recruited from among the 24 or more participating school districts or county offices of education. The criteria adopted by the commission for the selection of school districts or county offices of education to participate in the program shall include all of the following:
- (1) The extent to which the applicant school district or county office of education demonstrates the capacity and willingness to accommodate the participation of school paraprofessionals of the school in teacher training programs conducted at institutions of higher education.
- (2) The extent to which the applicant's plan for the implementation of its recruitment program involves the active participation of one or more local campuses of the participating institutions of higher education in the development of coursework and teaching programs for participating school paraprofessionals. Each selected school district or county office of education shall be required to enter into a written articulation agreement with the participating campuses of the institutions of higher education.
- (3) The extent to which the applicant's plan for recruitment attempts to meet the demand for bilingual-crosscultural teachers.
- (4) The extent to which the applicant's plan for recruitment attempts to meet the demand for multiple subject credentialed

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teachers interested in teaching kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 3, inclusive. For purposes of this paragraph, each paraprofessional selected to participate shall have completed at least two years of undergraduate college or university coursework and shall have demonstrated an interest in obtaining a multiple subject teaching credential for teaching kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 3, inclusive.

- (5) The extent to which the applicant's plan for recruitment attempts to meet the demand for special education teachers.
- (6) The extent to which the applicant's plan for recruitment includes a developmentally sequenced series of job descriptions that lead from an entry-level school paraprofessional position to an entry-level teaching position in that school district or county office of education.
- (7) The extent to which the applicant's plan for recruitment attempts to meet its own specific teacher needs.
- (8) The extent to which the applicant's plan for implementation of its recruitment program involves participation in a district internship program pursuant to Sections 44325, 44326, 44327, 44328, and 44830.3 or a university internship program pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 44450) of Chapter 3.
- (c) Each selected school district or county office of education shall provide information and assistance to each school paraprofessional it recruits under the program regarding admission to a teacher training program.
- (d) (1) The school district or county office of education shall recruit and organize groups, or "cohorts," of school paraprofessionals, of no more than 30, and no less than 10, in each cohort. Cohorts shall be organized to consist of school paraprofessionals having approximately equal academic experience and qualifications, as determined by the school district or county office of education. To the extent possible, the members of each cohort shall proceed through the same subject matter and credential programs. The members of each cohort shall enroll in the same campus and shall be provided by the school district or county office of education with appropriate support and information throughout the course of their studies.

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(2) Each school district or county office of education shall certify that it has received a commitment from each member of a cohort that he or she will accomplish all of the following:

- (A) Graduate from an institution of higher education under the program with a bachelor's degree.
- (B) Complete all of the requirements for and obtain a multiple subject, single subject, or education specialist teaching credential.
- (C) Complete one school year of classroom instruction in the district or county office of education for each year that he or she receives assistance for books, fees, and tuition while attending an institution of higher education under the program.
- (3) To the extent that any participant does not fulfill his or her obligations, as set forth in paragraph (2), the participant shall be required to repay the assistance. If a participant is laid off, the participant may not be required to repay the assistance until the participant is offered reemployment and has an opportunity to fulfill his or her obligations under this section.
- (e) The commission shall contract with an independent evaluator with a proven record of experience in assessing career-advancement programs or teacher training programs to determine the success of the recruitment programs established pursuant to subdivision (b). The evaluation shall be made on an annual basis and shall include, but not be limited to, all of the following:
- (1) The total cost per person participating in the program who successfully obtains a teaching credential, based upon all state, local, federal, and other sources of funding.
- (2) The economic status of persons participating in the pilot program.
- (3) A description of financial and other resources made available to each recruitment program by participating school districts or county offices of education, institutions of higher education, and other participating organizations.
- (4) The extent to which pupil performance on standardized achievement tests has improved in classes taught by teachers who have successfully completed the program, in comparison to classes taught by other teachers who have equivalent teaching experience.

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- (6) The extent to which teachers who have successfully completed the program remain in the communities in which they reside and in which they teach.
- (7) The attrition rate of teachers who have successfully completed the program.
- (f) Each selected school district or county office of education shall report to the commission regarding the progress of each cohort of school paraprofessionals, and other information regarding its recruitment program as the commission may direct.
- (g) No later than January 1 of each year, the commission shall report to the Legislature regarding the status of the pilot program, including, but not limited to, the number of school paraprofessionals recruited, the academic progress of the school paraprofessionals recruited, the number of school paraprofessionals recruited who are subsequently employed as teachers in the public schools, the degree to which the program meets the demand for bilingual and special education teachers, the degree to which the program or similar programs can meet that demand if properly funded and executed, and other effects upon the operation of the public schools.
- (h) It is the intent of the Legislature that each fiscal year, funding for the California School Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program be allocated to the Commission on Teacher Credentialing for grants to school districts pursuant to this section. In no case shall grants to any school district exceed the equivalent of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) annually per paraprofessional in the program. Funding for grants to school districts pursuant to this subdivision, shall be contingent upon an appropriation in the annual Budget Act.
- (i) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 16. Section 44393 is added to the Education Code, to read:

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44393. (a) The California School Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program is hereby established for the purpose of recruiting paraprofessionals to participate in a program designed to encourage them to enroll in teacher training programs and to provide instructional service as teachers in the public schools.

- (b) A school district or county office of education that uses funds from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24 for this program shall do all of the following:
- (1) Demonstrate a capacity and willingness to accommodate the participation of school paraprofessionals of the school in teacher training programs conducted at institutions of higher education.
- (2) Enter into a written articulation agreement with the participating campuses of the institutions of higher education.
- (3) Encourage paraprofessionals to become bilingual-crosscultural teachers, multiple subject credentialed teachers, or special education teachers.
- (4) Include a developmentally sequenced series of job descriptions that lead from an entry-level school paraprofessional position to an entry-level teaching position in that school district or county office of education.
 - (5) Meet its own specific teacher needs.
- (6) Operate a district internship program pursuant to Sections 44325, 44326, 44327, 44328, and 44830.3 or a university internship program pursuant to Article 3 (commencing with Section 44450) of Chapter 3 or demonstrate why an internship program shall not be operated.
- (c) Each selected school district or county office of education shall provide information and assistance to each school paraprofessional it recruits under the program regarding admission to a teacher training program.
- (d) (1) The school district or county office of education shall recruit and organize groups, or "cohorts," of school paraprofessionals, of no more than 30, and no less than 10, in each cohort. Cohorts shall be organized to consist of school paraprofessionals having approximately equal academic experience and qualifications, as determined by the school district or county office of education. To the extent possible, the

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members of each cohort shall proceed through the same subject matter and credential programs. The members of each cohort shall enroll in the same campus and shall be provided by the school district or county office of education with appropriate support and information throughout the course of their studies.

- (2) Each school district or county office of education shall certify that it has received a commitment from each member of a cohort that he or she will accomplish all of the following:
- (A) Graduate from an institution of higher education under the program with a bachelor's degree.
- (B) Complete all of the requirements for and obtain a multiple subject, single subject, or education specialist teaching credential.
- (C) Complete one school year of classroom instruction in the district or county office of education for each year that he or she receives assistance for books, fees, and tuition while attending an institution of higher education under the program.
- (3) To the extent that any participant does not fulfill his or her obligations, as set forth in paragraph (2), the participant shall be required to repay the assistance. If a participant is laid off, the participant shall not be required to repay the assistance until the participant is offered reemployment and has an opportunity to fulfill his or her obligations under this section.
- (e) Each selected school district or county office of education shall report to the Superintendent regarding the progress of each cohort of school paraprofessionals.
- (f) No later than January 1, 2007, and annually thereafter, the Superintendent shall report to the Legislature regarding the status of the program, including, but not limited to, the number of school paraprofessionals recruited, the academic progress of the school paraprofessionals recruited, the number of school paraprofessionals recruited who are subsequently employed as teachers in the public schools, the degree to which the program meets the demand for bilingual and special education teachers, and other effects upon the operation of the public schools.
- (g) Commencing with the 2006–07 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, the school district or county office of education may use funds from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24 to operate the program. In no

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case shall any school district use more than the equivalent of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) annually per paraprofessional in the program.

(h) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.

- SEC. 17. Section 44503 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 44503. (a) The governing board of a school district that accepts state funds for purposes of this article agrees to negotiate the development and implementation of the program with the exclusive representative of the certificated employees in the school district, if the certificated employees in the district are represented by an exclusive representative. In a school district in which the certificated employees are not represented, the school district shall develop a Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers consistent with this article in order to be eligible to receive funding under this article.
- (b) Functions performed pursuant to this article by certificated employees employed in a bargaining unit position shall not constitute either management or supervisory functions as defined by subdivisions (g) and (m) of Section 3540.1 of the Government Code.
- (c) Teachers who provide assistance and review shall have the same protection from liability and access to appropriate defense as other public school employees pursuant to Division 3.6 (commencing with Section 810) of Title 1 of the Government Code.
- (d) It is the intent of the Legislature that school districts be allowed to combine, by mutual agreement, their programs of peer assistance and review with those of other school districts.
- (e) Not more than 5 percent of the funds received by a school district for the Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers may be expended for administrative expenses. For the purposes of this article, administrative expenses shall include expenditures for the personnel costs of program administration and coordination, the cost of consulting teacher selection, and indirect costs associated with the Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers.
- (f) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or

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1 extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is 2 repealed.

- SEC. 18. Section 44503 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 44503. (a) The governing board of a school district that accepts state funds from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24 for purposes of this article shall negotiate the development and implementation of the program with the exclusive representative of the certificated employees in the school district, if the certificated employees in the district are represented by an exclusive representative. In a school district in which the certificated employees are not represented, the school district shall develop a Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers consistent with this article in order to be eligible to receive funding under this article.
- (b) Functions performed pursuant to this article by certificated employees employed in a bargaining unit position shall not constitute either management or supervisory functions as defined by subdivisions (g) and (m) of Section 3540.1 of the Government Code.
- (c) Teachers who provide assistance and review shall have the same protection from liability and access to appropriate defense as other public school employees pursuant to Division 3.6 (commencing with Section 810) of Title 1 of the Government Code.
- (d) It is the intent of the Legislature that school districts be allowed to combine, by mutual agreement, their programs of peer assistance and review with those of other school districts.
- (e) Not more than 5 percent of the funds used by a school district for the Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers may be expended for administrative expenses. For the purposes of this article, administrative expenses shall include expenditures for the personnel costs of program administration and coordination, the cost of consulting teacher selection, and indirect costs associated with the Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers.
- 38 (f) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- 39 SEC. 19. Section 44505 of the Education Code is repealed.
- 40 SEC. 20. Section 44506 of the Education Code is repealed.

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SEC. 21. Section 44507 of the Education Code is amended to read:

- 3 44507. (a) Subject to the availability of funding in the annual 4 Budget Act, the Superintendent shall contract with an 5 independent evaluator on or before December 15, 2002, to prepare a comprehensive evaluation of the implementation, 7 impact, cost, and benefit of the California Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers. The evaluation shall be delivered to the Legislature, the Governor, and interested parties on or before January 1, 2004. As a condition of receiving funding, 10 11 school districts implementing programs pursuant to this article 12 shall provide data, as requested by the Superintendent, to provide 13 baseline information for the evaluation.
 - (b) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.

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- 19 SEC. 22. Section 44507 is added to the Education Code, to 20 read:
 - 44507. (a) Subject to the availability of funding in the annual Budget Act, the Superintendent shall contract with an independent evaluator on or before December 15, 2002, to prepare a comprehensive evaluation of the implementation, impact, cost, and benefit of the California Peer Assistance and Review Program for Teachers. The evaluation shall be delivered to the Legislature, the Governor, and interested parties on or before January 1, 2004. As a condition of receiving funding from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24, school districts that implement programs pursuant to this article shall provide data, as requested by the Superintendent, to provide baseline information for the evaluation.
 - (b) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- 36 SEC. 23. Section 44730 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 38 44730. A school district that uses funds from the professional 39 development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 40 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24 for

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purposes of this chapter shall certify all of the following to the department:

- (a) Each school maintaining any of grades 4 to 8, inclusive, that uses professional development block grant funds for purposes of this chapter has access, for instructional purposes, to the Internet in its classrooms and has a sufficient number of up-to-date computers or other devices that provide Internet access in its classrooms for instructional use.
- (b) The professional development block grant funds used for this chapter shall be expended by the eligible schools for the purpose of providing in-service training to their schoolsite administrators, appropriate instructional classified employees, and certificated employees who provide direct instructional services to pupils in grades 4 to 8, inclusive, in the use of education technology to support the daily instruction of pupils and the recordkeeping necessary to support that instruction.
- (c) The professional development block grant funds used for this chapter shall be expended for in-service training programs in education technology that meet or exceed the proficiency standards developed by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing pursuant to Section 44259.
- (d) Each school has developed an action plan that provides for a program of in-service training in education technology for its schoolsite administrators, appropriate instructional classified employees, and all certificated employees who provide direct instructional services to pupils in grades 4 to 8, inclusive. In the action plan, the school shall, to the extent feasible and appropriate, integrate training in educational technology with all of the following:
 - (1) Staff development days.
- (2) Staff development funds available from all state and federal funding sources.
- (3) Involvement of the parents and guardians of pupils enrolled in the school district.
- (e) In-service training provided pursuant to this chapter shall be coordinated and integrated with any other in-service training.
 - (f) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
 - SEC. 24. Section 44730 of the Education Code is repealed.
- 39 SEC. 25. Section 44731 of the Education Code is amended 40 and renumbered to read:

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44730. A school district shall certify all of the following to the department as a condition of each applicant school in the district being eligible to receive funding pursuant to this chapter:

- (a) Each school maintaining any of grades 4 to 8, inclusive, that is applying for funding under this chapter has access, for instructional purposes, to the Internet in its classrooms and has a sufficient number of up-to-date computers or other devices that provide Internet access in its classrooms for instructional use.
- (b) The funds received pursuant to this chapter shall be expended by the eligible schools for the purpose of providing in-service training to their schoolsite administrators, appropriate instructional classified employees, and certificated employees who provide direct instructional services to pupils in grades 4 to 8, inclusive, in the use of education technology to support the daily instruction of pupils and the recordkeeping necessary to support that instruction.
- (c) The funds received pursuant to this chapter shall be expended for in-service training programs in education technology that meet or exceed the proficiency standards developed by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing pursuant to Section 44259.
- (d) Each applicant school has developed an action plan that provides for a program of in-service training in education technology for its schoolsite administrators, appropriate instructional classified employees, and all certificated employees who provide direct instructional services to pupils in grades 4 to 8, inclusive. In the action plan, the applicant school shall, to the extent feasible and appropriate, integrate training in educational technology with all of the following:
- (1) Staff development days authorized pursuant to Section 44670.6 or 52854.
- (2) Staff development funds available from all state and federal funding sources.
- (3) Involvement of the parents and guardians of pupils enrolled in the school district.
- (e) In-service training provided pursuant to this chapter shall be coordinated and integrated with any other in-service training.
- (f) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or

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1 extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is 2 repealed.

- SEC. 26. Section 52272 of the Education Code is amended to read:
 - 52272. (a) The Education Technology Professional Development Program is hereby established to provide teacher training on the use of technology in the classroom. The professional development training shall provide teachers with knowledge and skills on how best to integrate the use of technology into the classroom and curriculum.
 - (b) The California State University shall administer the professional development training component of the program and shall collaborate with the California Technology Assistance Project, county offices of education, and other appropriate public and private organizations in developing and providing this training.
 - (c) The Secretary for Education, in collaboration with the Chancellor of the California State University, shall select a contractor to conduct an independent evaluation of the effectiveness of the Education Technology Professional Development Program. Upon completion, the report shall be submitted to the Governor and the Legislature by January 1, 2002.
 - (d) Funding for the purposes of this section is contingent on an appropriation made for those purposes in the annual Budget Act.
 - (e) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 27. Section 52272 is added to the Education Code, to read:
 - 52272. (a) The Education Technology Professional Development Program is hereby established to provide teacher training on the use of technology in the classroom. The professional development training shall provide teachers with knowledge and skills on how best to integrate the use of technology into the classroom and curriculum.
- 39 (b) A school district or charter school may administer or 40 contract for the professional development training component of

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- (c) The Secretary for Education shall select a contractor to conduct an independent evaluation of the effectiveness of the Education Technology Professional Development Program. Upon completion, the report shall be submitted to the Governor and the Legislature by January 1, 2002.
- (d) Funding for the purposes of this section may be provided from the professional development block grant made available pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24.
 - (e) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 28. Section 99220 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99220. The Regents of the University of California are requested to jointly develop with the Trustees of California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the California Reading Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) (1) In June 1999, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 6,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in reading to pupils in kindergarten or in grade 1, 2, or 3, or who supervise beginning teachers of reading. Commencing in July 2000, the institutes shall provide instruction for an additional 14,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in reading to pupils, including special education pupils, in prekindergarten, kindergarten or in grade 1, 2, or 3, or supervise beginning teachers of reading. Of the 14,000 new positions, at least 2,000 shall be reserved for prekindergarten teachers who teach in state preschool programs located in the attendance area of high-priority schools in order to link prekindergarten literacy development and reading readiness to the state's reading goals for pupils enrolled in kindergarten and grades 1 to 3, inclusive. If there are not enough applicants to fill the 2,000 positions, the

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 remaining positions may be filled by teachers of pupils enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 3, inclusive.

- (2) Ongoing support for second-year participants shall include a second-year institute focusing on the use of instructional materials, leveraging of school district resources, and the development of teacher leadership within the school district to improve pupil achievement in reading.
- (b) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator, with the majority of the team composed of beginning teachers.
- (2) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, all of the following:
- (A) Schools whose pupils' reading scores are at or below the 40th percentile on the reading portion of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640.
- (B) Schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.
- (C) Schools with high poverty levels, as determined by the percentage of pupils eligible for free or reduced price meals.
- (D) Schools with a full complement of team members as outlined above.
- (E) School teams committed to participate in the Elementary School Intensive Reading Program established pursuant to Article 1 (commencing with Section 53025) of Chapter 16 of Part 28 for a minimum of three years.
- (F) Schools that have adopted standards-based materials approved by the State Board of Education.
- (3) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools meeting the criteria set forth in subparagraph (B) of paragraph (2).
- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of reading in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive reading instruction program that is research-based, as described in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (4) of subdivision (b) of Section 44259, and shall include all of the following components:

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(A) The study of organized, systematic, explicit skills including phonemic awareness, direct, systematic explicit phonics, and decoding skills.

- (B) A strong literature, language and comprehension component with a balance of oral and written language.
- (C) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
 - (D) Early intervention techniques.

- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum framework on reading/language arts adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) (1) Each participant who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this section shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000), as determined by the University of California.
- (2) A participant in an institute authorized by this section who satisfactorily completes additional institute activities or leadership and mentoring responsibilities in his or her school in subsequent years in accordance with institute guidelines shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the participant's responsibilities, of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500) and not more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000), as determined by the University of California. It is the intent of the Legislature that stipends paid to participants under this paragraph average approximately one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per stipend recipient per year.
- (e) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led,

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1 interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course, and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in reading.

- (f) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of reading course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a California Reading Professional Development Institute program if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting reading preparation standards.
- (g) This section does not prohibit a participant from attending an institute authorized by this section in more than one academic year.
- (h) "Beginning teachers," for purposes of this article, are teachers with three or fewer years of teaching experience.
- (i) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 29. Section 99220 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99220. The Regents of the University of California are requested to jointly develop with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the California Reading Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- 39 (a) (1) In June 1999, the University of California and its 40 institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 6,000

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participants who either provide direct instruction in reading to 2 pupils in kindergarten or in grade 1, 2, or 3, or who supervise beginning teachers of reading. Commencing in July 2000, the 3 4 institutes shall provide instruction for an additional 14,000 5 participants who either provide direct instruction in reading to pupils, including special education pupils, in prekindergarten, 7 kindergarten or in grade 1, 2, or 3, or supervise beginning 8 teachers of reading. Of the 14,000 new positions, at least 2,000 shall be reserved for prekindergarten teachers who teach in state 10 preschool programs located in the attendance area of 11 high-priority schools in order to link prekindergarten literacy 12 development and reading readiness to the state's reading goals 13 for pupils enrolled in kindergarten and grades 1 to 3, inclusive. If 14 there are not enough applicants to fill the 2,000 positions, the 15 remaining positions may be filled by teachers of pupils enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 3, inclusive. 16 17

(2) Ongoing support for second-year participants shall include a second-year institute focusing on the use of instructional materials, leveraging of school district resources, and the development of teacher leadership within the school district to improve pupil achievement in reading.

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- (b) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator, with the majority of the team composed of beginning teachers. In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all school teams, first priority shall be given to schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.
- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of reading in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive reading instruction program that is research-based, as described in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (4) of subdivision (b) of Section 44259, and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) The study of organized, systematic, explicit skills including phonemic awareness, direct, systematic explicit phonics, and decoding skills.
- 39 (B) A strong literature, language and comprehension 40 component with a balance of oral and written language.

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1 (C) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and 2 assessment.

- (D) Early intervention techniques.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum framework on reading/language arts adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) (1) Each participant who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this section shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000).
- (2) A participant in an institute authorized by this section who satisfactorily completes additional institute activities or leadership and mentoring responsibilities in his or her school in subsequent years in accordance with institute guidelines shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the participant's responsibilities, of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500) and not more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000). It is the intent of the Legislature that stipends paid to participants under this paragraph average approximately one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per stipend recipient per year.
- (e) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course, and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120

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additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in reading.

- (f) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of reading course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a California Reading Professional Development Institute program if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting reading preparation standards.
- (g) This section does not prohibit a participant from attending an institute authorized by this section in more than one academic year.
- (h) "Beginning teachers," for purposes of this article, are teachers with three or fewer years of teaching experience.
 - (i) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 30. Section 99221 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99221. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop jointly with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the High School English Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 12,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in reading and writing to California public high school pupils in grades 9 to 12, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of high school reading and writing.
- (b) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- (2) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but are not limited to, all of the following:

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(A) Schools whose pupils' scores on the English language arts portion of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640 are at or below the 40th percentile.

- (B) Teams composed of a large percentage of the members of their schools' English departments, which may include the chair of that department.
- (C) Schools with high poverty levels, as determined by the percentage of pupils eligible for free or reduced price meals.
- (D) Teams of teachers from various departments within a school.
 - (E) Schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.
 - (F) Schools that have adopted standards-based materials approved by the State Board of Education.
 - (3) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools meeting the criteria set forth in subparagraph (E) of paragraph (2).
 - (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of reading and writing in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive reading and writing instruction program that is research-based, as described in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (4) of subdivision (b) of Section 44259.
 - (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on reading/language arts for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
 - (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
 - (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led,

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interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in English language arts.

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- (e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of English language arts requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a High School English Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting English language arts standards.
- (f) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 31. Section 99221 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99221. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop jointly with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the High School English Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 12,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in reading and writing to California public high school pupils in grades 9 to 12, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of high school reading and writing.

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(b) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.

- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of reading and writing in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive reading and writing instruction program that is research-based, as described in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of paragraph (4) of subdivision (b) of Section 44259.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on reading/language arts for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in English language arts.
- (e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of English language arts requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily

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1 completes a High School English Professional Development 2 Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on 3 Teacher Credentialing as meeting English language arts 4 standards.

(f) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.

- SEC. 32. Section 99222 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99222. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop jointly with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the High School Mathematics Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 5,500 participants who either provide direct instruction in mathematics to California public high school pupils in grades 9 to 12, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of high school mathematics.
- (b) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. The school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- (2) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, all of the following:
- (A) Schools whose pupils' scores on the mathematics portion of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640 are at or below the 40th percentile.
- (B) Teams composed of a large percentage of members of their schools' mathematics departments, which may include the chair of that department.
- (C) Schools with high poverty levels, as determined by the percentage of pupils eligible for free or reduced price meals.
- (D) Schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.
- 38 (E) Schools that have adopted standards-based materials approved by the State Board of Education.

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 (3) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools meeting the criteria set forth in subparagraph (D) of paragraph (2).

- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of mathematics in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in topics commonly found in high school mathematics courses, including, but not limited to, geometry, algebra II, trigonometry, and calculus, that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850 and to prepare pupils for advanced placement and college coursework.
- (B) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (C) Early intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in mathematics.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online

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course and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in mathematics.

- (e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a High School Mathematics Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.
- (f) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 33. Section 99222 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99222. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop jointly with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the High School Mathematics Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 5,500 participants who either provide direct instruction in mathematics to California public high school pupils in grades 9 to 12, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of high school mathematics.
- (b) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. The school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- 38 (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching 39 of mathematics in a manner consistent with the standard for a

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comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based and shall include all of the following components:

- (A) Instruction in topics commonly found in high school mathematics courses, including, but not limited to, geometry, algebra II, trigonometry, and calculus, that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850 and to prepare pupils for advanced placement and college coursework.
- (B) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (C) Early intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in mathematics.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in mathematics.

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(e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a High School Mathematics Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.

- (f) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 34. Section 99223 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99223. The Regents of the University of California are requested to jointly develop with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the Algebra Academies Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 1,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in prealgebra and algebra to pupils in grades 7 and 8, or supervise beginning teachers of algebra.
- (b) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- (2) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but are not necessarily limited to, all of the following:
- (A) Schools whose pupils' scores on the mathematics portion of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640 are at or below the 40th percentile.
- (B) Teams composed of a large percentage of members of their schools' mathematics departments, which may include the chair of that department.
- 38 (C) Schools with high poverty levels, as determined by the percentage of pupils eligible for free or reduced price meals.

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 (D) Schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.

- (E) Schools that have adopted standards-based materials approved by the State Board of Education.
- (3) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools that meet the criteria described in subparagraph (D) of paragraph (2).
- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of prealgebra and algebra in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in prealgebra and algebra that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850.
- (B) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (C) Early intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in prealgebra and algebra.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) Each participant who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this section shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000), as determined by the University of California.
- (e) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered on multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours during the summer or during an intersession break, and shall be supplemented, during the

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following school year, with no fewer than the equivalent of five additional days of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in prealgebra and algebra.

- (f) Teachers attending the institutes authorized by this section shall, as a condition of attendance and subsequent to that attendance, serve as instructors in the program authorized by Chapter 17 (commencing with Section 53080) of Part 28. These teachers shall continue to receive followup professional development during the same time period they are providing instruction. Followup professional development during this time period shall occur outside of instructional time.
- (g) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes an Algebra Academies Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.
- (h) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 35. Section 99223 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99223. The Regents of the University of California are requested to jointly develop with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the Algebra Academies Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 1,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in prealgebra and algebra to pupils in grades 7 and 8, or supervise beginning teachers of algebra.

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(b) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.

- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of prealgebra and algebra in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in prealgebra and algebra that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850.
- (B) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (C) Early intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in prealgebra and algebra.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) Each participant who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this section shall receive a stipend, commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000).
- (e) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered on multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours during the summer or during an intersession break, and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than the equivalent of five additional days of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in prealgebra and algebra.

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(f) Teachers attending the institutes authorized by this section shall, as a condition of attendance and subsequent to that attendance, serve as instructors in the program authorized by Chapter 17 (commencing with Section 53080) of Part 28. These teachers shall continue to receive followup professional development during the same time period they are providing instruction. Followup professional development during this time period shall occur outside of instructional time.

- (g) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local education agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes an Algebra Academies Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.
 - (h) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 36. Section 99224 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99224. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop jointly with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the Algebra Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 5,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in algebra or the coursework in the two years leading to algebra to pupils enrolled in a public school in grades 6 to 12, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of algebra.
- (b) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- (2) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, all of the following:

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(A) Schools whose pupils' scores on the mathematics portion of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640 are at or below the 40th percentile.

- (B) Teams composed of a large percentage of members of their schools' mathematics departments, which may include the chair of that department.
- (C) Schools with high poverty levels, as determined by the percentage of pupils eligible for free or reduced price meals.
- (D) Schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.
- (E) Schools that have adopted standards-based materials approved by the State Board of Education.
- (3) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools meeting the criteria set forth in subparagraph (D) of paragraph (2).
- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of prealgebra and algebra in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based, and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in prealgebra and algebra that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850.
- (B) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (C) Intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in prealgebra and algebra.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally

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accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive 2 online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and 3 administrators who may be precluded from participating in an 4 onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, 5 each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent 6 of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, 7 interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall 8 consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during 10 an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented, during the following school 12 year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 13 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on 14 at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in prealgebra and algebra. 16

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- (e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a High School Algebra Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.
- (f) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 37. Section 99224 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99224. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop jointly with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the Algebra Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 5,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in algebra or the coursework in

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the two years leading to algebra to pupils enrolled in a public school in grades 6 to 12, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of algebra.

- (b) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of prealgebra and algebra in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based, and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in prealgebra and algebra that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850.
- (B) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (C) Intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in prealgebra and algebra.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during

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an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 80 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in prealgebra and algebra.

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- (e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes a High School Algebra Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.
 - (f) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 38. Section 99225 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99225. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop collaboratively with the Trustees of the California State University, the independent colleges and universities, and the county offices of education, the Elementary Mathematics Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 5,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in elementary mathematics to pupils in grades 4 to 6, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of elementary mathematics.
- (b) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.
- (2) Criteria and priority for selection of participating school teams shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, all of the following:
- 38 (A) Schools whose pupils' scores on the mathematics portion 39 of the achievement test authorized by Section 60640 are at or 40 below the 40th percentile.

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 (B) Schools with high poverty levels, as determined by the percentage of pupils eligible for free or reduced price meals.

- (C) Schools with a high number of beginning and noncredentialed teachers.
- (D) Schools that have adopted standards-based materials approved by the State Board of Education.
- (3) In any fiscal year, if funding is inadequate to accommodate the participation of all eligible school teams, first priority shall be given to schools meeting the criteria set forth in subparagraph (C) of paragraph (2).
- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of elementary mathematics in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based, and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in elementary mathematics that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850.
- (B) Instruction that will prepare teachers as mathematics specialists and to become teacher trainers at their schools, assuming more of the responsibility for mathematics instruction.
- (C) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (D) Early and continuing intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in elementary mathematics.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an

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onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course, and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 40 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in elementary mathematics.

(e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes an Algebra Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.

- (f) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 39. Section 99225 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99225. The Regents of the University of California are requested to develop collaboratively with the Trustees of the California State University, the independent colleges and universities, and the county offices of education, the Elementary Mathematics Professional Development Institutes, to be administered by the university, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California, in accordance with all of the following criteria:
- (a) In July 2000, the University of California and its institutes' partners shall commence instruction for 5,000 participants who either provide direct instruction in elementary mathematics to pupils in grades 4 to 6, inclusive, or supervise beginning teachers of elementary mathematics.

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(b) The institutes shall provide instruction for school teams from each participating school. These school teams may include both beginning and experienced teachers and the schoolsite administrator.

- (c) (1) The institutes shall provide instruction in the teaching of elementary mathematics in a manner consistent with the standard for a comprehensive mathematics instruction program that is research-based, and shall include all of the following components:
- (A) Instruction in elementary mathematics that will enhance the ability of teachers to prepare pupils for the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 and the high school exit examination authorized pursuant to Section 60850.
- (B) Instruction that will prepare teachers as mathematics specialists and to become teacher trainers at their schools, assuming more of the responsibility for mathematics instruction.
- (C) Ongoing diagnostic techniques that inform teaching and assessment.
- (D) Early and continuing intervention techniques for pupils experiencing difficulty in elementary mathematics.
- (2) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall be consistent with state-adopted academic content standards and with the curriculum frameworks on mathematics for kindergarten and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, that are adopted by the State Board of Education.
- (3) Instruction provided pursuant to this section shall acquaint teachers with the value in the diagnostic nature of standardized tests.
- (d) In order to provide maximum access, the institutes shall be offered through multiple university and college campuses that are widely distributed throughout the state or in a regionally accredited program offered through instructor-led, interactive online courses. In order to maximize access to teachers and administrators who may be precluded from participating in an onsite institute due to geographical, physical, or time constraints, each institute shall be required to accommodate at least 5 percent of the participants through state-approved instructor-led, interactive online courses. Instruction at the institutes shall consist of an intensive, sustained training period of no less than 40 hours nor more than 120 hours during the summer or during

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an intersession break or an equivalent instructor-led, online course, and shall be supplemented, during the following school year, with no fewer than 40 additional hours nor more than 120 additional hours of instruction and schoolsite meetings, held on at least a monthly basis, to focus on the academic progress of that school's pupils in elementary mathematics.

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- (e) It is the intent of the Legislature that a local educational agency or postsecondary institution that offers an accredited program of professional preparation consider providing partial and proportional credit toward satisfaction of mathematics course requirements to an enrolled candidate who satisfactorily completes an Algebra Professional Development Institute if the institute has been certified by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing as meeting mathematics standards.
 - (f) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
- SEC. 40. Section 99226 of the Education Code is amended to read:
- 99226. (a) This article shall apply to the University of California only during periods for which the Legislature has appropriated funds therefor in the annual Budget Act and the Regents of the University of California have accepted the funds.
- (b) This article shall not apply to the University of California unless and until the Regents of the University of California act, by resolution, to make it applicable.
- (c) The Regents of the University of California are requested to jointly develop with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the institutes described in this article, to be administered by the University of California, in partnership with the California State University and with private, independent universities in California.
- (d) Each participant who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this article shall receive a stipend commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000), as determined by the University of California. However, in making this determination, the University of California may not exceed the amount provided in the Budget Act for stipends for each of the institutes authorized by this article and must serve at each

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1 institute the number of participants specified pursuant to this 2 section.

- (e) Commencing July 2001, and each fiscal year thereafter, the number of participants receiving instruction through each of these institutes shall be designated in the annual Budget Act.
- (f) These institutes shall be developed in accordance with all of the criteria specified in each section, as described therein.
- (g) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, on a case-by-case basis, and subject to the concurrence of the State Board of Education that priorities for service to high-need schools are met, the University of California and the programs authorized pursuant to Sections 99220 through 99226, inclusive, may serve prekindergarten teachers, kindergarten teachers, and teachers of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, in participating school districts with programs in reading or mathematics when the average of the reading or mathematics portions of the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 is at or below the priority level for service in schools otherwise served by the California Professional Development Institutes.
- (h) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and, as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.
- SEC. 41. Section 99226 is added to the Education Code, to read:
- 99226. (a) This article applies to the University of California only during periods for which the Legislature has appropriated funds therefor in the annual Budget Act for the professional development block grant established pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 41530) of Chapter 3.2 of Part 24.
- (b) This article does not apply to the University of California unless and until the Regents of the University of California act, by resolution, to make it applicable.
- (c) The Regents of the University of California are requested to jointly develop with the Trustees of the California State University and the independent colleges and universities, the institutes described in this article, to be administered by the University of California, in partnership with the California State

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University and with private, independent universities in California.

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- (d) Each participant who satisfactorily completes an institute authorized by this article shall receive a stipend commensurate with the duration of the institute, of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than two thousand dollars (\$2,000), as determined by the University of California.
- (e) These institutes shall be developed in accordance with all of the criteria specified in each section, as described therein.
- (f) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, on a case-by-case basis, and subject to the concurrence of the State Board of Education that priorities for service to high-need schools are met, the University of California and the programs authorized pursuant to Sections 99220 through 99226, inclusive, may serve prekindergarten teachers, kindergarten teachers, and teachers of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, in participating school districts with programs in reading or mathematics when the average of the reading or mathematics portions of the achievement test authorized pursuant to Section 60640 is at or below the priority level for service in schools otherwise served by the California Professional Development Institutes.
- 22 (g) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2006.
 - SEC. 42. Section 99227 of the Education Code is repealed.
 - SEC. 43. Sections 19, 20, 24, and 42 of this act shall become operative on July 1, 2006.